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July 23, 1998

HOONAH INDIAN ASSOCIATION,	:	IBIA 97-150-A
Appellant	:	
	:	
v.	:	Appeal of decision dated June 19, 1997,
	:	issued by the Juneau Area Director, Bureau
JUNEAU AREA DIRECTOR,	:	of Indian Affairs
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,	:	
Appellee	:	

Proceeding Dismissed

Hearing in this matter was held November 2, 3, and 4, 1997. Post-hearing briefs were to have been submitted by December 15, 1997, and January 5, 1998, respectively. The file was accordingly to be considered concluded and ready for decision on January 12, 1998.

On December 22, 1997, there was filed by the parties a "Joint Request for Extension of Time" requesting "that the due dates for submission of post-hearing briefs in the captioned proceeding be suspended pending notification of the implementation of a settlement agreement which has been reached between the parties. Once the terms of that agreement have been carried out, appellant Hoonah Indian Association will notify the Hearings Division, withdraw its appeal, and formally request dismissal."

Extension of time was granted as requested.

On July 20, 1998, the authorized representative for Appellant filed an undated document advising "The terms of the [settlement] agreement have been fully met and as a result, on behalf of the [Appellant], I withdraw the appeal and formally request a dismissal."

Accordingly, this proceeding is hereby dismissed.

Harvey C. Sweitzer
Administrative Law Judge